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FOR THE RECORD



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Mark Weber has yet to publicly respond to any of the allegations and many good Revisionists continue to donate to the Institute for Historical Review, unaware of this ugly history.

Even many of Weber's defenders are loathe to admit that Weber—who has since renounced Holocaust Revisionism as a viable means of bringing forth historical truth—was acting in concert in the effective destruction of the IHR itself with San Francisco real estate millionaire Andrew E. Allen who admitted—under oath—that he was involved in two separate political/covert operations that were very clearly under the direction of the CIA and Israel's Mossad (all of which is described in these interviews).

Sadly, many of those who continue to defend Weber have been known to have received funds from the aforementioned Allen and continue to insist that Piper's documentation is a "crazy conspiracy theory." Listeners can decide for themselves if this is all just Piper's "wild imagination" or "vicious lies concocted to smear a decent historian such as Mark Weber."

Listeners should also note that just before Michael Collins Piper left RBN he announced that Allen's aunt (his father's sister) Beth Allen Straus, had recently died. Mrs. Straus was married into the famous Jewish-Zionist Straus banking-and-Macy's Department Store empire in New York City (best known for the fact that Isidor and Ida Straus were much-heralded victims of the sinking of the Titanic).

Note, too, that there have been other allegations that the Allen family is also related (either by blood or by marriage) to the Zionist-Jewish Haas family of San Francisco who are the billionaire heirs to the Levy-Strauss garment empire; however, Michael Collins Piper has been unable to document this to his own satisfaction.

Although Allen's claim to fame as a "revisionist" is that he served as an attorney fighting "war crimes" allegations against a Mr. Bartesch who was falsely accused of such by the infamous Office of Special Investigations, Allen himself (perhaps unwittingly) revealed in an article on the matter (which can still be found on the Internet) that the OSI had bungled the matter from the beginning. In short, it was an "easy as cake" legal endeavor that, in Michael Collins Piper's opinion, may well have been served up to Allen in the first place in order to establish his "revisionist" bona fides.

The Bartesch family continues to praise Allen, but they perhaps do not understand the bigger picture, having been concerned, and rightly so, first and foremost, with the safety of their father who was under siege from the Jewish Holocaust Industry and its agents inside the U.S. government.

Listeners who can find errors of fact or distortions or misdirection in anything presented by Piper are free to post their comments on michaelcollinspiper.podbean.

Mark Weber, in particular, is invited to participate! But will he?

Most likely, Weber will adopt the traditional stance of the Anti-Defamation League and say: "I don't debate these people."

Here also is the text of a letter Michael Collins Piper sent to Weber on December 1, 2004 outlining precisely how much Weber reaped financially from his conspiracy to destroy and thus take over the assets of Liberty Lobby. Readers will find this interesting.

Dear Mark:

I am writing this letter to you both as a personal courtesy and at the advice of my attorney who, it should be noted, has no relationship whatsoever with Willis Carto or any organizations or publications with which Willis has been associated.

Please forgive me for my delay in responding, but what with my two week trip in August to Malaysia and then a one week trip, of more recent date, to Japan, in conjunction with the release of my books, FINAL JUDGMENT and THE HIGH PRIESTS OF WAR in those countries, I have been, needless to say, quite busy, during the last few months.

First of all, please note that this is a letter from Michael Collins Piper alone. It represents my personal opinion and should not be perceived as an indirect communication from Willis and/or Elisabeth Carto or any organization or publication with which either of them are associated.

Neither Willis nor Elisabeth will have seen this letter before it is dispatched, although, needless to say, I did advise both of them that I would be writing this letter and both of them provided me bits and pieces of information that I have incorporated in this letter. However, all of the material utilized is that of my own choosing and, in fact, I chose to reject much of what they provided me. In any case, I am not—repeat NOT—acting as their agent in any way. This letter strictly represents my personal point of view.

In addition, for the record, it should be noted that my involvement with both American Free Press and The Barnes Review is largely peripheral and I have very little, if anything, to do with the day-to-day operations of either of these publications, popular misperception notwithstanding. I have neither an office nor a desk on the premises. I have absolutely no ownership or proprietary rights in either publication and I have no employee benefits of any kind whatsoever.

As such, it was somewhat comical and, actually, ironic, that you included me—of all people—as a co-defendant in your baseless suit against American Free Press which, of course, you subsequently withdrew . . . and wisely, for your own sake, I might add.

In any event, with that having been said, permit me to continue.

This letter is stimulated, of course, by your communication (both hard copy and by e-mail) addressed to me in care of the office of American Free Press and via an email address for me which appears on the website of American Free Press. Your letter was a follow-up to a brief discussion between us during the Labor Day weekend conference sponsored by David Irving in Cincinnati, Ohio. For the record, it should be noted that I was attending the Irving conference at the invitation of Mr. Irving who made the invitation directly to me, without first mentioning the subject to Willis Carto. I was not attending the conference as an agent or spokesman for Willis Carto, although, of course, I did distribute copies of The Barnes Review and American Free Press.

My purpose at the conference, at Mr. Irving's invitation, was to speak about Willis Carto's history in the Revisionist movement and, only in passing, about the Farrel legacy. The only part that Mr. Carto played in the preparation of my remarks was to provide, at my request, a list of the books and magazines and journals that he had published or republished.

In our discussion at the Irving conference you told me that you (and presumably the controllers of the Legion for the Survival of Freedom, whomever they may be) wanted to enter into some form of settlement agreement with Willis Carto regarding the ongoing litigation and other conflicts stemming from the dispute over what I shall refer to as "the Farrel legacy."

During our brief conversation, you noted that, previously, you had made a public statement (to an audience at the Irving conference) indicating that you would like to reach a settlement with Willis, and, in fact, a number of persons who were attending the conference confirmed that you had made such an offer.

Parenthetically, I would note that you made your public pronouncement after, earlier that day, I had told the audience in attendance at my lecture that the Legion for the Survival of Freedom had received some \$1.7 million in total from two estates—those of Adelaide Allen and Bob Keifer—that had originally been earmarked for Liberty Lobby.

This information came as a surprise to many people, including several stalwart Revisionists who later informed me that, just hours prior to that, you had, in one gentleman's words, "been poor-mouthing" and saying that the IHR was in dire financial straits, largely, you said, as a consequence "of Carto."

(Funny thing, but the IHR was never in dire financial straits when Willis Carto was in charge, but that's another story altogether. And nor was Liberty Lobby ever insolvent until the massive judgment you and certain parties orchestrated against Liberty Lobby, but that's also another story altogether.)

Briefly, you suggested that Willis Carto should "return" all of the remaining funds from the Farrel legacy and drop any existing lawsuits against you and the Legion and that the Legion would also drop any further claims. The remaining funds, you suggested, would be placed in a trust fund to be administered by independent parties and distributed for the good works of Revisionists worldwide. I think that is a fair assessment of your comments at that time, or at least as I understood them. If there is any minor misunderstanding, and I don't think there is, I stand corrected. However, for the purposes of this letter from me to you, that offer, as you shall see, is largely moot, as we shall see.

In any case, Mark, after you mentioned your desire to make a settlement "with Carto," I suggested that you put the offer in writing. Further, I suggested, that you consult with an attorney in preparing the settlement offer and then direct the letter to Willis and/or one of the attorneys who has been representing his and/or Liberty Lobby's interests in the related cases stemming from the circumstances surrounding the conflict over the Farrel legacy.

Upon returning to Washington from the Irving affair, I advised Willis of the rough parameters of the proposed settlement and indicated to him that you had told me that you would put the offer to him in writing.

Well, needless to say, I was quite surprised to subsequently receive your hard-copy letter and your e-mail (the two items being identical), both addressed to me, rather than to Willis or to any attorney representing him or Liberty Lobby. I also had the distinct impression—although I could be wrong about this—that you had written the letter on your own without benefit of legal counsel.

In addition, that part of the letter which was not a rehash of the rulings of Judge Runston Maino but which purported to contain the framework of a "settlement" was actually rather difficult to understand, and I say this as someone who is, at the least, semi-literate and who also had one year of legal training supplemented by some twenty years of working closely with attorneys and legal documents of all kinds, in addition to having been (at least at one time) fairly well versed in the details surrounding the Farrel legacy and the legal bloodbath that followed.

Legal documents, by their very nature, often tend toward the abstruse and opaque, but, in my humble opinion, your "settlement offer" was so unclear that no serious legal negotiations could emerge from it.

Your offer should have been framed in very specific language and, even more importantly—as I've already said—sent directly to Willis Carto.

To be honest, Mark, I felt as though your letter was simply what one might call a "jiffy job" and that it was a production designed to have the "look and feel" of a settlement offer, something that might be flashed in front of the naïve and unknowing as "evidence" of your good faith—somewhat along the lines of "Here's the settlement offer I made to Carto, but he refuses to negotiate."

The truth is that the letter was NOT a settlement offer and it was NOT made to Willis Carto.

Regarding the actual amounts received by both Liberty Lobby and the Legion from the Farrel legacy, let us first of all consider what Liberty Lobby actually did receive. And note, too, that the monies received by Liberty Lobby were ALWAYS in the form of LOANS, not grants. All of these loans were earmarked to be REPAID BY LIBERTY LOBBY TO THE CORPORATE ENTITY ESTABLISHED TO ADMINISTER THE FARREL FUNDS!

That is something that is hardly known by most Revisionists. In addition, the fact remains that the money loaned from the Farrel legacy to Liberty Lobby had not even come due at the time the Legion was wrested from the control of Willis Carto. The amount received by Liberty Lobby constituted UN-REPAYED LOANS that were not yet even yet due!

Judge Maino ruled that Liberty Lobby "owed" the Legion (visà-vis the Farrel legacy) some \$2,650,000, based on the fact that this amount, essentially, had been lent to Liberty Lobby. And had Liberty Lobby been able to continue functioning, not hampered by the lawsuits initiated by you and the Legion, these funds would ultimately have been repaid. So this, again, is something that is not widely known.

The system of loans set up by Willis Carto (at the encouragement of then-Legion attorney Bill Hulsy) were designed to protect both the Farrel legacy and Liberty Lobby from the Mel Mermelstein lawsuit that was in litigation at the time the Farrel affair was settled. It was a good business move and it made good legal sense. It only became "embezzlement" when you and your associates seized control of the Legion and used that as a springboard to launch the assault on Liberty Lobby. That is the cold, hard truth, Mark and you know it.

All of the funds advanced to Liberty Lobby were accounted for in detailed bank records, including wire transfers from Switzerland to Liberty Lobby and thence from Liberty Lobby to the Sun Radio Network which, in actuality, was the prime beneficiary of the loans, channeled through Liberty Lobby.

I personally sat in with Willis Carto and Liberty Lobby's controller Blayne Hutzel and our attorney, Mark Lane, when the records were put together for presentation to your attorneys in the process of preparing for the trial before Judge Maino in Los Angeles. I know this for a fact. I saw these records. I saw the totals, Mark. I know that these records were provided to the court and to your attorneys. And that is why I was astounded when you repeatedly said to me, to my face, at the David Irving meeting, that Liberty Lobby had "never provided an accounting of the Farrel funds that it received." Frankly, Mark, I was so shocked at your audacity in making this claim—which I knew to be patently false—that I was hard pressed to respond. I couldn't believe that you would sit there and tell me that I had not seen what I saw. In fact, it was on the basis of these very records that Judge Maino made his ruling, at least in part, insofar as Liberty Lobby was concerned.

Needless to say, Mark, I have told many people—including some very respected Revisionists—that I think you and your associates were quite shocked to find out that the Farrel funds advanced to Liberty Lobby were no longer extant, that they had actually been expended. It is my belief that you believed that Liberty Lobby was somehow "sitting" on this money when, in fact, it had already gone to the Sun Radio Network! This must have been a very real shock to you, but it is a fact that you cannot dispute. The records prove it. Judge Maino made his judgment based on these records.

And, as I said, these funds would ultimately have been repaid. This is the TRUE story of the money received by Liberty Lobby from the Farrel legacy.

And it should be added that the original charter of the Legion—prior to the time that you and your associates re-wrote that charter, which went back to the original founding of the Legion in the 1950s, very specifically cited radio outreach as one of the ways of communication that the Legion hoped to advance its message.

And as an aside, here's another point that many Revisionists also are unaware of; that is the fact that the IHR was always a

subsidiary of the Legion, just as was the Noontide Press. Historical Revisionism—Holocaust or otherwise—was never, repeat never, the primary or sole purpose of the Legion. It was one of many missions in the realm of free expression to which the Legion was committed.

Your constant claim that the Farrel legacy was earmarked exclusively for Revisionism, specifically Holocaust Revionism, could not be further from the truth. This is a point that even Willis Carto often failed to mention when he became bogged down in fighting off the Legion's assault, but it is a fact that cannot be denied.

Now regarding the funds received by the Legion itself from the Farrel legacy (specifically the bank account in Switzerland) it is important to note that, contrary to what Judge Maino ruled in court, there is some real dispute about how much was actually received by the Legion.

And I hasten to add that while you claim that the Legion only received \$100,000 from the Farrel legacy, there are numerous financial records in existence which suggest that this figure is far less than the actual reality.

For example: • In September of 1991, Legion received \$100,000 from the Farrel funds. • In March of 1992, Legion received \$200,000 from the Farrel funds. • In September of 1992, Legion received \$150,000 from the Farrel funds. • In October of 1992, Legion received \$100,000 from the Farrel funds. • In addition, beginning on February 11, 1991, many invoices from printers and authors who were billing the Legion were paid from the Farrel funds totaling some \$100,000. • Also, employee benefits and salaries at Legion, totaling another \$98,000 were paid over a period of 15 months.

By my accounting, based on the above information, that is at least \$748,000—some \$648,000 more than the amount you have stated in court that Legion received from the Farrel funds!

According to Elisabeth Carto, the total that she can reconcile from the materials she has available is slightly higher: \$755,927 paid to the Legion. However, Elisabeth says, she is certain that the figure is closer to about \$900,000.

So even granting the lesser amount of \$748,000, that is a much higher level of funds that Legion did receive and of which there are existing bank records from the now-depleted bank account in Switzerland that held the Farrel legacy.

These are facts that are not known to most Revisionists, even those who have followed the case closely!

One final point regarding the Farrel legacy. You have constantly made a point, even in swearing out a search warrant for the Carto home and property in Escondido, that there may have been some amounts in uncut gems from the Farrel legacy that somehow were in the hands of Willis and Elisabeth Carto. This is a myth.

As you certainly know, when the Farrel legacy was placed in the hands of Roland Rochat, a Swiss notary given the assignment by both sides in the dispute over the Farrel legacy, Rochat was charged with liquidating these diamonds. These diamonds were sold by Rochat as part of the liquidation of the legacy and placed into the entire amount for distribution between Willis Carto and the Legion and Joan Althaus, with whom the Farrel legacy was in dispute.

In short, Mark, ALL of the funds that Willis Carto assumed control of from the Farrel legacy were either distributed to Liberty Lobby or to the IHR or to other parties (including attorneys, accountants, etc) who were involved in the procurement of the estate. No funds remain from the Farrel legacy.

Now here is something else that MUST be considered if an actual settlement offer is made in good faith. I note, Mark, that the Lennon company of Costa Mesa, which acted as a receiver for Liberty Lobby in its bankruptcy, collecting sums on behalf of the Legion, issued a report dated September 24, 2004, detailing the fact that between 1998 and 2004, some \$1,031,780.32 had been collected from Liberty Lobby directly or from letters containing money and checks that had been sent to Liberty Lobby during this time frame.

This amount also included a number of substantial payments made directly by Liberty Lobby as part of the bankruptcy settlement—including sums as high as \$200,000 on at least one given occasion—until the bankruptcy court effectively voided the settlement after the Legion charged Liberty Lobby with violating the agreement, the circumstances of which are beyond the purview of this letter.

(The sum also includes the amount of money taken from personal accounts of Willis and Elisabeth Carto and the residue of funds left over from the sale of their home which was seized by the Legion.)

Nonetheless, the fact remains that Liberty Lobby did, in fact, give the Legion \$1,031,780.32 under these circumstances—a point that many prominent Revisionists, to this day, are unaware.

Many persons remain under the illusion—should I say delusion—that Liberty Lobby paid little, if any, to the Legion following the institution of the bankruptcy settlement agreement.

So it is that this \$1,031,780.32 is a substantial amount indeed and, in fact, quite a large chunk of the actual funds advanced, via loan, from the Farrel funds in the bank account in Switzerland.

Add this amount of \$1,031,780.32 to the \$748,000 given directly to the Legion from the Farrel legacy funds in Switzerland, this is a total of \$1,779,780.32

This is the actual amount of money that the Legion had already received, directly from the Farrel legacy and from the money taken from Liberty Lobby.

Then, Mark, please add to this the \$1.7 million that the Legion has now received from the Adelaide Allen and Bob Kiefer estates. This brings the total to: \$3,479,780.32

Quite a substantial amount indeed. And this is far more than the \$2,650,000 that Judge Maino ruled that Liberty Lobby owed the Legion.

Dare I say, Mark, noting the current reported desperate financial straits of the Legion that you described to persons at the David Irving conference, one might logically ask: WHERE DID THE MONEY GO?

And, of course, the fact remains that this is a substantial chunk of the Farrel legacy that Willis Carto assumed responsibility for at the time of signing the settlement agreement with the attorneys for Joan Althaus in 1990.

And, again, this does not include all of the money paid out to attorneys, accountants, expeditors and others who were involved in the procurement of the Farrel legacy, including, I recall, some \$650,000 paid to Swiss banker Francois Genoud, a longtime friend of the Revisionist movement, who played a key role in securing the legacy.

I have been told that you denounced Genoud as a "Nazi," a point that will surprise many Revisionists who worked closely with Genoud over the years, prior to his untimely death in, I believe, 1991.

And at this juncture another little understood matter should be pointed out for the benefit of those who may not be in tune with all of the seemingly peripheral details surrounding the

Farrel legacy and the Liberty Lobby bankruptcy. And this is very important! Many of the funds listed in the previously mentioned total of money (\$1,031,780.32) seized by the Lennon Company included payments for books, videos and other materials, including SPOTLIGHT subscriptions, that people sent to Liberty Lobby AFTER Liberty Lobby had actually gone out of business and was denied the opportunity to continue functioning.

Unfortunately, however, those who sent these payments never received the books they ordered or the subscriptions. Instead, your receiver, the Lennon Company, took the money and checks out of the mail addressed to Liberty Lobby and directed the funds to the Legion and presumably itself and your attorneys.

I personally received numerous letters from individuals who had ordered copies of my book, FINAL JUDGMENT, but never received them. I was forced to write them letters explaining that the Legion was taking the money they sent to Liberty Lobby and not attempting to satisfy the orders or return the money in any way, shape or form. God only knows how many good patriots and Revisionists across America, really from around the world, were cheated out of their money.

For my own part, I attempted to provide gratis copies from my own extra supply of copies of FINAL JUDGMENT to those who bothered to write, but one can only imagine how many people did not know how to reach me or how to reach the former staff of Liberty Lobby.

In one instance an elderly woman in the Mid-West returned to Liberty Lobby's address what I recall to be \$1600 in silver that she had purchased from Liberty Lobby some years before. She hoped to redeem the value of the silver and had Liberty Lobby still been operating, she would have received that money.

Instead, the Lennon company took the silver and never gave the woman the \$16,000. She has since died, I understand, and is unable to pursue any legal action on her own, although it is conceivable, of course, that her heirs may choose to do so, and this would be a legal difficulty for the Legion, not to mention an utter PUBLIC RELATIONS DISASTER.

Imagine the headlines: "Revisionist Group Sued by Elderly Woman's Estate."

All of this is not to mention the untold thousands of unfulfilled SPOTLIGHT subscriptions and Board of Policy memberships that were left hanging.

What follows are the number of SPOTLIGHT subscribers and the members of Liberty Lobby's Board of Policy and the total count at the time of the last issue of The SPOTLIGHT. The dollar amounts listed are the values of the remaining subscriptions.

Subscribers: 45,732 \$1,818,302.99 BOP 7,527 \$154,233.14 Total: \$1,972,536.13

This means that at least 53,259 total patriots and Revisionists were left wanting. To my knowledge, although the Legion effectively assumed "ownership" of Liberty Lobby and its assets—including forthcoming estates earmarked in wills and trusts for Liberty Lobby—the Legion never made any effort whatsoever to satisfy any of these outstanding subscriptions and memberships.

Considering the fact that the Legion was receiving in excess of \$1 million in Liberty Lobby funds, issued directly by Liberty Lobby and seized from its mail, it seems that the honorable and rightful thing to do would have been to at least write these good folks a letter and offer them a free book or back issue of The JOURNAL OF HISTORICAL REVIEW. This would have not only been good "public relations" for the Legion, but

it might have won over potential new contributors and subscribers in a show of good faith. But no such show of good faith ever materialized.

Frankly, Mark, if you had done your job in making some effort in this regard, you might have literally conjured up another "Jean Farrel" out there in SPOTLIGHT Subscriber Land who—in the end—might have left another fortune to the "new" Legion and the Institute for Historical Review.

Now, of course, Jim Floyd, the outspoken Alabama Revisionist, has been spearheading efforts to organize these, shall we say "disenfranchised" SPOTLIGHT subscribers and Jim puts it bluntly: "Anyone who would open up the letter of a good patriot or Revisionist and take his money and then consciously refuse to send him what he's ordered or even return the money if his order couldn't be filled cannot and will not ever classify as an honest man in my book."

And, Mark, I'm sorry to say, this problem is one that is going to hang over your head and that of the Legion as long as all of these people are left in the lurch. Frankly, your credibility and integrity as at stake.

Even if your Jewish lawyer and your collection agency, the Lennon Company, chose to operate in this underhanded fashion, you could have personally made some effort to resolve this matter. But you did not.

So this is really a matter that—for the good of all concerned, especially those who have lost out—must be considered in the matter of a "global" settlement of this most unfortunate affair surrounding the Farrel legacy. NO REVISIONIST, NO PATRIOT should be cheated of his money.

Only good can come if you make some effort to resolve this and make it a factor in any settlement proposal. I'm confident the names of those who lost out—or at least many of them—are probably available, even at this late date. How about it, Mark? Why not try to make good on this matter.

And regarding the Liberty Lobby mailing list. Here's a point that should be noted. Although your failed lawsuit against American Free Press failed precisely because of the fact that, contrary to the claims you made, American Free Press had NOT run off with the Liberty Lobby mailing list, the fact is that your agents who came to Liberty Lobby's headquarters in Washington never took the list with them when our thencontroller Blayne Hutzel made the entire list (subscribers and Board of Policy members) available when these individuals came to our office on Capitol Hill, along with, I might add, all of Liberty Lobby's financial records. (If I recall correctly, those acting as your agents were local members of the Church of Scientology who volunteered their services, a point that is interesting, especially regarding your constant denial that this Church played any part whatsoever in the circumstances surrounding the demise of Liberty Lobby.)

It was the fault of YOUR agents and your agents alone that the Liberty Lobby mailing list (quite a valuable asset) was never secured. And perhaps, in the end, that is for the best, considering quite convincing stories that you and your associate Greg Raven discussed selling the list to either the Anti-Defamation League or the Church of Scientology—a point I have heard that you have disputed, but not convincingly, in my humble estimation.

There is probably much more that could be said, but I have touched on the relevant highlights that you MUST acknowledge and consider when you make a genuine, formal settlement offer—not a letter to Michael Collins Piper.

Your letter indicated that copies were being sent to members of the board of directors of the Legion for the Survival of

Freedom, although no individual names of said directors were listed

As I do not have their e-mail addresses nor do I even know the names of the board, I am taking the liberty of sending copies of this letter to you to a number of prominent Revisionists so that I can be certain that my comments, at least, will be on the record, inasmuch as you involved me in this matter by addressing your initial letter to me.

In addition, inasmuch as this matter certainly does involve other Revisionists, by the very nature of the loose framework of a "settlement" that you have been discussing, I feel it is all the more appropriate that these Revisionists have the opportunity to consider all aspects of the affair, at least as much as I can provide any insights thereon.

In summary: there is NOTHING left of the Farrel legacy, other than (1) the money that was taken from Liberty Lobby by your receiver, the Lennon company, and (2) that money that was earmarked for Liberty Lobby in the Allen and Kiefer estates (and which would have ultimately been repaid by Liberty Lobby, over the long term to the Farrel account in Switzerland).

As a parting note, in the spirit of your initial suggestion, I would comment that I personally will certainly encourage Willis Carto to use the egis of both American Free Press and The Barnes Review to perhaps join with the IHR itself—whatever the IHR constitutes, and it doesn't seem to constitute much more than an Internet website at this point—to issue a hard-hitting fund-raising mailing to raise money to set up a trust fund to be accessed by responsible Revisionists.

Further, I would be pleased to offer, gratis, my own modest talents as a fund-raising letter writer—and I had largely written, by far, virtually all of Liberty Lobby and The Barnes Review's fundraising and subscription letters over a 20 year period (no small accomplishment)—in furtherance of such a project. I would be proud to do it.

However, Mark, your dream of procuring some "hidden" or "remaining" Farrel funds is a pipe dream. It will never happen. Your legal hounds have managed to grab back all of the funds—and more—that Liberty Lobby received and the Legion itself received a substantial amount of the Farrel funds, directly and through payment of Legion bills, from the very beginning. These are facts that cannot be denied. You must consider all of this when making a formal settlement offer, and I hope you will.

In closing, I hope that this letter—an honest effort by yours truly to lay out some little-known but highly relevant facts concerning the Farrel legacy—will contribute to the settlement of this matter.

Please, Mark: do not write me in response to this letter.

Instead, sit down with your attorneys and your board of directors—maybe consult with some respected Revisionists such as Fredrick Toben, Jurgen Graf, Germar Rudolf, Michael A. Hoffman II, David Irving, Robert Faurisson, Ingrid Rimland, Arthur Butz, Bradley Smith, Robert Countess, Michael Santomauro, Mark Farrell—the list goes on and on—and get some good solid input and come up with a very real and very solid and reasonable settlement offer. Then, finally, all of this can be resolved. The Revisionist movement is much bigger than Mark Weber or Willis Carto or even the IHR and The Barnes Review. Remember that, Mark. No, better yet—as Mel Mermelstein's father would say: "Never Forget."

MICHAEL COLLINS PIPER

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The Heretics' Hour

The White Network is the new home of "The Heretics' Hour" with Carolyn Yeager

"The Heretics' Hour" is a two-hour program currently broadcasting every Monday at 9 p.m. Eastern time (6 p.m. Pacific). Carolyn deals with controversial subject matter: World War II *real*history, Holocaust revisionism, race and free speech issues, the attack on White culture, Jews and the power they wield in white societies.

"The Heretics' Hour" premiered as a one-hour show on March 1, 2010 on the <u>Voice of Reason Network</u>. The archives of those two years plus of programs can be found <u>there</u> and <u>here</u>. From now on, "The Heretics Hour" programs will be archived at The White Network, as well as at <u>carolynyeager.net</u>.

About Carolyn Yeager

Carolyn Yeager is a revisionist writer and Internet radio personality who is best known for her investigative articles on Holocaust frauds such as Elie Wiesel, Denis Avey and Irene Zisblatt. She also carried out a major project in partnership with Wilhelm Mann, translating chapters of Hermann Giesler's Ein Anderer Hitler (Another Hitler) from German to English ... the first such translations ever done.



These translations, along with supporting articles and commentary, were published in thirteen issues of **The Barnes Review** (TBR) history magazine from

November 2008 to June 2011. Other articles have been published in TBR, at the Inconvenient History **Revisionist Blog**, in the **Saxon Messenger** magazine, and on Carolyn's **website**.

Carolyn is the author of **Auschwitz: The Underground Guided Tour-**What the Tour Guides
Don't Tell You at Auschwitz-Birkenau, published by TBR
in March 2010. Information on purchasing the book
is here. Carolyn also runs the popular website Elie **Wiesel Cons The World** that examines the false
testimony of the world's most famous Holocaust
survivor.

The Heretics' Hour with Carolyn Yeager made its inaugural broadcast on Voice of Reason Network on March 1, 2010 and ran weekly until May 14, 2012. It went from a one-hour to a two-hour program in Sept. 2011. All the original programs are archived at **carolynyeager.net**. Carolyn had for a time a daily program, **The Revisionist Report**, which ran from May 7 until August 25, 2011 on Republic Broadcasting Network. She has also been a guest on several other radio programs which are archived **here**.

Email Carolyn at: <a href="mailto:carolyn@caro

The current break music for The Heretics' Hour is the 2nd and 3rd selections from "Die Goldene Sieben Medley"; they are "Vergiss die Tränen" and "Heimweh." Die Goldene Sieben was a swing orchestra in National-Socialist Germany. Listen to the whole thing here:

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aLT5IzvvME
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A Revisionist Answer to Multiplying HoloCost Commemoration Days

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Germar Rudolf and Bradley Smith help Carolyn inaugurate a new website, www.jan27.org, for the <a href="mailto:1st International Day of Commemoration in Honor of the Revisionists Who Introduced Sanity to the Auschwitz "Death Camp" Narrative. This Revisionist commemoration counters the U.N. established commemoration played up every year on the date of the "liberation" of the Auschwitz-Birkenau. From there, the discussion goes off in several directions.

* United Nations Sec. Gen. Ban Ki-moon attended the first "**Shoah Event**" of the year at a New York Synagogue last Saturday and revealed that the

featured speaker at the U.N. on Jan. 27 will be Stephen Spielberg;

- * The Red Army raped and/or deported to Siberia the women they "liberated" at Auschwitz a story that is never told:
- * The Holocaust myths could go the way of the myths of the Catholic Church, which had similar power at one time:

The ties between Christians and Jews are too strong, based on the Old Testament, so Christianity would do well to drop the OT;

* How much is Holocaust a problem of Jewish power and how much of European weakness;

* Fredrick Töben calls from Australia in the 2nd hour and joins the discussion.



Image: Hungarian Jews look perfectly okay as they unboard at Birkenau in 1944, in this photo used on the banner at the <u>new website</u>.

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The HoloCo\$t as religion, fairy tale and abuse

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From the new "religion of the Holocaust" described in detail to more of Carlo Mattogno's book on propaganda "fairy tales" from Auschwitz to Mark Weber's character and Adolf Eichmann's Aryanism, Carolyn continues to pound away at the unacceptablecost of the HoloCo\$t. Some highlights:



Adolf Eichmann as an SS officer in 1942 and in Jewish captivity 20 years later.

*In France, with the largest Jewish population in Europe, the Shoah has become a sort of <u>State</u> religion as other religious faith has drastically declined;

- *The animal slaughterhouse at Auschwitz had an apparatus for extracting grease from animal bones to enrich the diet of the inmates this was transformed into the lie of the industrial use of human fat:
- *Mark Weber and David Cole on the <u>Montel Williams</u> show many years ago reveals another instance in which Weber is not able to stand up to the Jewish holocaust narrative, but must largely agree with it;
- *Sources claiming Adolf Eichmann as being all or part Jew are: half-Jew <u>Christopher Jon Bjerknes</u>; imposter "<u>Henneke Kardel</u>," and part-Polish Veronica Clark;

*Hadding Scott joined the program during the last half hour.

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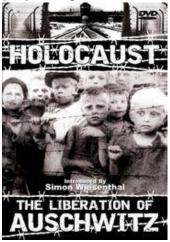
The "liberation" of Auschwitz and other true stories

Published on <u>January 7, 2014</u> by <u>Carolyn</u> in <u>The Heretics' Hour</u>

Jan. 6, 2014

Anticipating this year's official "Commemoration in honor of the victims of the holocaust" at the Auschwitz-Birkenau Memorial site in Poland, Carolyn tells the true story of the "liberation" of that camp, as far as can be known. Other points of interest:

- * **David Irving** is ready to sue the BBC for plagiarism in a recently televised documentary;
- * It's important to stand up for yourself and we all need to do it, but we must have the truth on our side;
- * The Red Army and its propaganda unit arrived at Auschwitz before Jan. 27 and surveyed the situation with the intention of making war-crimes accusations;
- * It is a near certainty that the Soviets blew up the three crematoria and burned down the clothing warehouses, which they then blamed on the Germans;
- * Carolyn uses <u>examples</u> to contrast factual discussion of "movement" business versus <u>making up</u> <u>stories</u> about people to "get even."



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"Anti-Racist Hitler" and Other Nonsense About "Nazis"

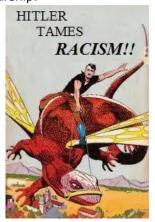
Published on <u>December 31, 2013</u> by <u>Carolyn</u> in <u>The Heretics' Hour</u>

Dec. 30, 2013

In the last show of this year, <u>Hadding Scott</u> comes on with Carolyn in the 2nd hour to discuss whether there ever was, or could be, such a thing as <u>"Black Nazis,"</u> and other questions about National Socialism. In the first hour Carolyn emphasizes the need for continuing to destroy the holocaust lies because of the

enormous damage it does to the psyches of the German people. Some highlights:

- * <u>David Irving</u> did say in 2007 that "In my opinion the real killing operations took place in the Reinhardt camps ... Heinrich Himmler's men killed possibly as many as 2.4 million in the two years up to 1943."
- * The **BNP** goes after Goebbels, Eichmann and Mengele with crude propaganda;
- * Manfred Roeder's eloquent Introduction to Thies Christophersen's *The Auschwitz Lie*;
- * Hadding Scott reads from the National-Socialist <u>Political Primer</u> on racial rules, which remained substantially the same from 1933 to 1945;
- * What Hitler said in the Platterhof speech was identical to what was in that manual;
- * <u>Veronica Clark</u>'s focus on Blacks in Germany is "much ado about nothing" when it comes to real historical scholarship.



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<u>Is the IHR a dead horse or can it be</u> <u>revived under new leadership?</u>

Published on <u>December 17, 2013</u> by <u>Carolyn</u> in <u>The</u>
<u>Heretics' Hour</u>

Dec. 16, 2013

A four-way discussion about the future of holocaust revisionism (today called "holocaust denial" by the holocaust industry) between **Germar Rudolf, Friedrich Paul (Fritz) Berg, Dana Roccapriore** and host Carolyn. Some of what was covered:

- * Mark Weber gained control of the Institute for Historical Review in the mid-nineties and shifted its entire purpose away from Holocaust Revisionism to no position on anything;
- * Weber was never a real revisionist (even in the 1980's), according to both Berg and Rudolf;
- * Weber resisted publishing books by Germar Rudolf, didn't want to translate papers from German revisionists, and wanted to write his own summaries of articles submitted by others;

- * With David Irving, Weber was observed behaving like a total sycophant; he even appeared to be in love with Irving;
- *Many still think the IHR under Weber "looks good" and so financially support it;
- * Caller Jim brought up the H. Himmler "Posen speech," which both Berg and Rudolf consider genuine but misunderstood;
- * Dana presented the view that most people are bored by "holocaust" in the media – he expects a backlash coming to which Germar agreed but more in Europe than in the U.S.



The **Journal of Historical Review** was published from 1980 to 2002, when it finally fully succumbed to the negligence and disinterest of Mark Weber.

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Continued Revision of Holocaust History IS Relevant: What to Do About It

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by <u>Carolyn</u> in <u>The Heretics' Hour, <u>Uncategorized</u>
Dec. 9, 2013</u>

The <u>Institute for Historical Review</u> under the <u>Directorship of Mark Weber</u> (since 1995) has let us down.

For going on 20 years, Mark Weber has engineered the decline of what was the world's foremost Holocaust Revisionist center of activity. We who really care about cleaning up the gross lies about this historical "event" must find a way to get Weber out of the IHR and put new blood in. Some topics:

- *Preparation underway for Jan. 27 project ... to counter the Day of Commemoration for Victims of the Holocaust put on at the United Nations and Auschwitz-Birkenau every year;
- *What are *your* answers to the <u>most frequently asked</u> <u>questions</u> by the "brainwashed believers" send them in;
- *Campaign to get "movement" radio hosts to stop inviting Mark Weber for interviews;
- *The value of movies made with actors playing significant figures, such as Adolf Hitler in "The Greatest Story Never Told".

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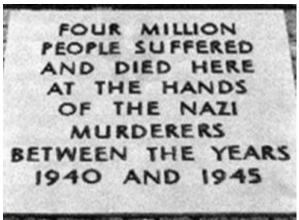
A NEW 2014 REVISIONIST ENTERPRISE!

International Day of Commemoration in Honor of the Revisionists Who Introduced Sanity to the Auschwitz "Death Camp" Narrative

Greetings and welcome from the <u>Jan27.orq</u> committee.

We are made up of scientists, engineers, literary text experts, historical researchers, free-speech advocates, skeptics, and the just plain intellectually curious. We invite you to join us!

We chose this day of January 27 for our very first commemoration because of the ceremonies taking place on this day at the United Nations in New York City and at the Auschwitz-Birkenau Memorial Museum in Poland. That commemoration is named the



Right at the very spot that the story of 6 million murdered Jews is being told today and every day, these plaques tell the real story. Up until 1990, the plaque on the left was in place, in several languages, in front of the Auschwitz-Birkenau Monument at the Poland memorial, claiming that four million people were killed "by nazi murderers" in the five years between 1940 and 1945.

But in 1990 it was reduced to 1.5 million and the plaque on the right replaced the original plaque. That's 2.5 million less murdered humans! How could the managers of the memorial site have been so wrong for 45 years? What made them re-check and "discover" (rather admit) that this was just a number plucked out of thin air?

International Day of Commemoration in Memory of the Victims of the Holocaust.

We thought it would be a good idea to add our voices to the many that are being heard in those places, telling their stories of gas chambers, torture, starvation, and genocide. Our stories are about science, the laws of physics, technical possibilities and impossibilities, and the constant lowering of the death tolls. We bring Good News! For example:



But more, the official Auschwitz-Birkenau death number now stands even lower at 1.1 million. There are holocaust historians in good standing who have reduced it to 900,000 and even 700,000. How much lower will it go?

This is just one example of the many changes in the holocaust story that the official establishment has been forced to make due to the critical scrutiny and investigation of those we call Revisionists. The work of Revisionism is ongoing; the resistance to it is deeply entrenched. Therefore our commemoration honors the brave revisionists who have introduced sanity to what began as a wildly improbable account based entirely on wartime atrocity propaganda. With this annual commemoration we are ...

CALLING FOR A RETURN TO SANITY

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Our first order of business is to honor those holocaust revisionists who are now deceased, among them many of the very first pioneers who blazed the trail for those who followed. We list them here in order of the appearance of their first revisionist work, and we include the persecution they suffered at the hands of the entrenched "Holocaust" forces. Our esteemed honorees are:

Maurice Bardèche, France, *Nuremberg or the Promised Land* (1948); book seized and banned in France, author sentenced to a year in prison.

Paul Rassinier, France, *Crossing the Line* (1949), second book *The Lie of Ulysses* (1950); expelled from the French Socialist Party, the SFIO.

Louis Marshalko, Hungary, **The** World **Louis Fitzgibbon**, Britain, *Katyn* (1971) plus 6 **Conquerors: The Real War Criminals** (1958) other books on Katyn through 1979. Thies Christophersen, Germany, **Die** Auschwitz-Lüge /The Auschwitz Lie (1973); served a year in prison, expelled from his William David McCalden, USA, Nuremberg homeland, forced to live in exile in Denmark and Other War Crimes Trials (1978), pen name (where his home and business were repeatedly Richard Harwood; founder of the Institute for attacked), Belgium, Switzerland and finally Spain Historical Review; attacked and beaten by Irv until his death in 1997. Rubin and the Jewish Defense League. Dr Wilhelm Stäglich, Germany, The Auschwitz Mythos(1979); dismissed from his position as a Judge with a reduced pension; in 1983 University Walter N. Sanning, USA, The Dissolution of of Göttingen withdrew his Doctoral degree. Eastern European Jewry (1983) Carl O. Nordling, Finland/Sweden, "How Many Roger Garaudy, France, The Founding Myths Jews Died in the German Concentration of Modern Israel (1996); fined \$50,000 in **Camps?"** (1991) France. Arthur Vogt, Switzerland, for lecture on Sept. 1991 in Nuremberg, fined 6000DM. In May 1997 Dr. Robert H. Countess, USA, articles and fined Sfr20,000 for editing and distributing the "Holocaust-denial" journal Aurora. reviews (2002-2004) Special appreciation to: Jürgen Rieger, Germany. Lawyer who Doug Christie, Canada. Lawyer who defended successfully defended Ernst Zundel in 1981 and Ernst Zundel in Canada for 15 years (1990-2005) - for this he was threatened by judges and law later - for this he was attacked and beaten unconscious, left near dead, his car blown up, his societies for "contempt" and "unprofessional reputation and career ruined. conduct."

To these men we owe our gratitude and our commitment to carry on so that their sacrifices, and those of others still living, will not have been made in vain. It's a sad fact that in our societies, it is not acknowledged that

REVISIONISTS HAVE RIGHTS TOO!

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How and Why the UN Resolution Came About The UN Decides a Universal Ban on Revisionism

By Robert Faurisson, 17 November 2005

On November 1st, unanimously and without a vote, the representatives of the 191 nations making up the UN adopted—or let be adopted—an Israeli-drafted resolution proclaiming January 27th "International Day of Commemoration in memory of the victims of the Holocaust".

Moreover, the resolution "Rejects any denial of the Holocaust as an historical event, either in full or part". Historical revisionism thus sees its existence acknowledged by the whole world, a fact proving that it has some life in it, but, at the same time, this decision means that the revisionists find themselves struck with the reprobation of all the countries of the world.

As for the "State" of the Vatican, which has no seat at the UN, it had, as early as in 1992, declared:

There is no historical revisionism that can call into question the inhuman abyss of the Holocaust" («Non c'è revisionismo storico che possa rimettere in discussione l'abisso disumano dell'Olocausto») (L'Osservatore Romano, 7 November 1992).

The history of human societies and religions is rich in prohibitions, bannings, excommunications but, whereas, up to a recent past, the victims could, at least in principle, hope to find a refuge outside of their land or group of origin, here the condemnation is, for the first time ever, of universal character. It is thus confirmed that historical revisionism is a phenomenon

of exceptional nature and also that the Jews, yet once more, have been able to obtain exorbitant privileges.

A sleight of hand by the Jews

It was through a sleight of hand that the Israeli delegation succeeded in getting this resolution passed. It proceeded in a manner like that of certain associations which, in France, under cover of a campaign against paedophilia, have obtained a law prohibiting, on the Internet, communication relating to paedophilia and ... to revisionism!

To begin, they asked: "Is paedophilia not a horror in itself?" The response was "yes". Their second step was to add: "Is paedophilia on the Internet not to be banned by a specific law?" The response, there again, was "yes". As a third step the associations concluded: "Let's fight, accordingly, to obtain a law against paedophilia and ... revisionism [which they called 'negationism']".

For his part, the President of the General Assembly, the Swede Jan Ellasion, had the deftness on November 1st to ask orally whether anyone was opposed to the resolution aimed at commemorating the "Holocaust". No hands being raised, he declared, without prior recourse to a vote of any kind, that the resolution was thereby adopted, the text of which contained in one of its provisions the condemnation of any form of "Holocaust" revisionism. The draft was approved by the

United States in utter disregard of the guarantees of freedom of opinion provided by the first amendment to its constitution. And, most remarkably, this Israeli text was accepted by the Arabo-Moslem countries, including Iran. All those present approved, or let pass with soft verbal restrictions, a resolution originating from the Jews that goes so far as to condemn the right of free research on a historical subject.

The UN act assumes only a political and not a juridical character. Still, since it provides that the Secretary General will have to report on the measures subsequently taken within the framework of the resolution, the revisionists will have reason to fear consequences for themselves of a judicial or administrative nature, forinstance, as regards border and airport police, authorisation to enter and stay in certain countries or the issuing of visas. The resolution will serve morally to justify and facilitate extradition measures taken against revisionists.

"What we have come to understand is that the holocaust is the secret weapon of psychological warfare of the Powers That Be, which they use to expand and maintain their militaristic empire, to justify wars and subjugation, to foist their financial, economic and cultural system upon others against their will."

From the Editors of <u>"Auschwitz: The Case for Sanity,"</u> 2010, page 12

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Holocaust Handbooks, Volume 28:

Carlo Mattogno, Jürgen Graf, Thomas Kues:

The "Extermination Camps" of "Aktion Reinhardt"—An Analysis and Refutation of Factitious "Evidence," Deceptions and Flawed Argumentation of the "Holocaust Controversies" Bloggers



Ever since the authors of the present study started publishing, together or separately, thorough studies about the most prominent German camps of the WWII era which are generally referred to as extermination camps, orthodox historians have made it a point to intentionally ignore these studies which they seem unable to refute.

This eerie silence ended only in late 2011 when several members of the exterminationist *Holocaust Controversies* blog published a 570 page-long online study titled *Belzec, Sobibor, Treblinka: Holocaust Denial and Operation Reinhard*. With it they claim to refute three of our authors' monographs on the camps Belzec, Sobibor and Treblinka (see vols. 9, 19 and 8 of the Holocaust Handbooks series).

This lengthy orthodox critique forced our three authors to go back to the sources. After a year of archival and library research, the rebuttal of their detractors' critique was finally complete, and a few months later Mattogno's major contributions to it were translated into English. The opus seemed ready for publication. What followed next, though, was an arduous, 6-months-lasting process of thorough fact-checking and archival verification by peer reviewers as well as massive lingual improvements by numerous editors. The results are out in the open now: a work comprising more than 1,500 pages.

This work has occupied the most knowledgeable revisionists for a year and more. It has led to the postponement of numerous other projects (as can easily be gleaned from this website as well). Today's leading revisionists consider this their ultimate response and final word on the subject. From now on they have promised to focus on more productive research and publications.

As to the contents of this book, the casual reader may be warned: This work cannot be read like a novel. It is a point-by-point response to the abovementioned *Holocaust Controversies* bloggers' PDF file (accessible on their website) and can be understood only in that context. It also requires that the reader be

familiar with the authors' three monographs on the Belzec, Sobibor and Treblinka camps, all of which can be accessed and downloaded on this website.

It goes without saying that it is neither easy nor profitable to publish such a huge two-volume opus which will find only a very small audience. In order to make the text a little more readable and to reduce the volume of the printed version slightly, it does include only the English translations of any foreign language sources quoted. The full foreign language text can be found in the extended PDF version. Since this PDF file is accessible to everyone and can thus be searched, we have refrained from creating a cost-prohibitive index.

In summarizing the book's conclusions, Jürgen Graf writes in his Epilogue:

"Holocaust Controversies had all the time they needed to write their "refutation." They were assisted by a host of Holocaust historians they diligently enumerate in their introduction. It did not help them a bit. [...] Since the exterminationist position with regards to these two topics [gas chambers and eyewitnesses] is hopeless from the beginning, Myers had myriads of opportunities to make a fool of himself, and he missed not a single one of them. [...]

However, the most preposterous chapters of the pamphlet are undoubtedly the two last ones, written by [...]Roberto Muehlenkamp, who unsuccessfully tried to prove that during World War II the eternal laws of nature had to pause so that the evil Nazis could carry out their massacre in chemical slaughterhouses and get rid of the bodies without significant use of fuel. [Muehlenkamp] knew exactly that Mattogno, who has an encyclopedic knowledge of all problems related to cremation, would react to his challenge and make mincemeat of his chapters, to use Romanov's poetic formulation for the last time. Is Muehlenkamp perhaps a masochist? Does he relish the role of the circus clown who is pelted with eggs to the roaring laughter of the audience? Now he has egg all over his face. I do not feel a bit sorry for him because he asked for it."

Note

This book exists in two versions: a "short" printed version which does not include most of the foreign language quotes, and an extended PDF version which includes all foreign language quotes. The print version's PDF files can be downloaded with the usual links below. The extended PDF version of 1554 pp. is available here (37.7 MB).

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OSLO: Outrage over anti-cutting cartoon <u>Dagbladet</u> (Norway, Bing translation), May 29, 2013

Dagbladet comic strip aroused international attention

By Trude Ringheim

Artist Thomas Drefvelin says that the drawing is not directed towards a particular religion or particular peoples.

A comic strip printed in yesterday's Edition of Dagbladet, [drew attention from] several foreign media. Artist Thomas Drefvelin has drawn the [satirical strip].

RIEN: 20 MG DREFVELIN av Tomas Drefvelin



Abuse? No, this is tradition! An important aspect of our faith!

Faith? Oh, then that is all right!

Sorry for the interruption.

Thursday, 30 May 2013

Rabbi Abraham Cooper, associate dean of the Simon Wiesenthal Center, a leading Jewish Human Rights NGO, who is currently attending the Global Forum on Antisemitism in Jerusalem, denounced the "blood libel cartoon" as "so virulently anti-Semitic it would make Hitler and Himmler weep tears of joy."

Norwegian newspaper **Dagbladet** has sparked outrage after publishing a cartoon "blood libel" Tuesday, 28 May 2013.

Norway's third largest newspaper, published the cartoon, in which a modestly dressed woman can be seen holding a blood soaked book and telling law enforcement officers on the scene: "Mistreating? No this is tradition, an important part of

A bearded man wearing a hat and black coat on the left holding another book, has stabbed the child in the head with the Devil's pitchfork while another hand is cutting off the toes of the child with a wire cutter.

The officers who are present, are apparently permitting the ritual to continue. The first officer responds: "Belief? Oh yes, then it is all right," while the second apologizes for the interruption.

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"We call upon Norway's leaders to denounce this incitement to hate and especially urge the Ombudsman for Children's Rights to denounce this outrageous denigration of a core Jewish rite dating back to the biblical times of Abraham," Cooper added. According to the JTA, "Dagbladet cartoon artist Tomas Drefvelin said he did not mean to draw Jews in his caricature,

which he meant 'not as criticism of either a specific religion or a nation [but] as a general criticism of religions."

"I gave the people in the picture hats, and the man beard, because this gives them a more religious character ... Jewhatred is reprehensible. I would never draw to create hatred of a people, or against individuals," he added.

The Algemeiner was unable to reach the paper by phone for immediate comment.

The Israeli newspaper Haaretz cites the Simon Wiesenthal Center that they perceive the drawing as anti-Semitic.

Defending the drawing

Chief Editor of Dagbladet, John Arne Markussen, is aware that the drawing is of such a nature that it can be printed in Dagbladet.

- -There is no doubt that the remedies here are powerful. But it is clearly an utterance that can pass in our columns, and in the public at large, "said Markussen and continues:
- -We understand [the] drawing [and] suggest it is not about a specific faith or not. I also can't read from the drawing [whether] it's a boy or a girl we see here. But the way I see the drawing, there is an attempt by cartoonist to illustrate what he conceives of the practice of genital cutting, but it's not that he points to particular peoples or religions in [his] drawing, said Markussen.

[The woman is wearing a hat. Jewish women at religious services do not.

The man is spearing the baby's forehead with a carving fork (not a "devil's pitchfork") reminscent of the Shi'ite custom during the festival of Ashura.

The book is unidentifiable, not (as some critics have said) a Torah or a Bible.

The baby's genitals remain covered, and its sex is unknown.

It is the toes that are being cut off.

It is being held down in a device reminiscent of a Circumstraint (TM) used for American traditional (pseudo-medical) circumcisions.]

Frames no[t] special

Designer Tomas Drefvelin, who is the guest [cartoonist] of Today magazine stated abo[ut] criticism.

- -Some reading things into the drawing that I did not have the character or expressed, he said.
- -What is your intention?
- I was trying to make a parody of religion-but it is not a particular or a specific religion or a specific people I drew, it is neither a boy or a girl baby, just a child. The drawing has a serious topic.

General criticism of religion

-So what do you see?

- -The whole point is [w]hat the first police officer says. Police officer says: "faith? Oh, Yes, but then it's okay. "Therein lies my point that draw. Religion gets away with the worst thing just using that quote. One says only that "this is tradition" and "this is religion" and so should it somehow be okay. -What do you say to critics?
- -I have no anti-Semitic attitudes. It can be seen by my overall production, that at the base of everything I do, [is] humanism and the defence of the individual human being. Under all the rough humour, there is a defense for man, individuals **and especially for defenseless children.**
- -You take no criticism for [the cartoon]?
- -I'd maybe parodied shapes in your drawing even more than I do, to emphasize that this is not specific to a particular religion.
- -So this is not an attack on Jews?
- -No. Jew hatred is reprehensible. This would never occur to me to draw a strip to create hatred against a people or against individuals. Let me repeat. My criticism of religions are generic, nothing else, "said [artist] Tomas Drefvelin.

Point to the cop

Also Chief Editor of Dagbladet, John Arne Markussen points to the policeman as the Central.

-The point in the drawing as we see it, the police officer and his statements, that if one of the actions refers to religion or tradition, so one can get away with a lot.

Markussen emphasizes:

- -I perceive as the cartoonist said not intend going to the attack on any particular religion or special people. That's a key point here.
- -Then the drawing is not anti-Semitic?
- -No, it's not. Dagbladet is a liberal newspaper, our attitudes are so far from being anti-Semitic as it is possible. Anti-Semitism is absolutely reprehensible for Dagbladet, as also for the cartoonist, Markussen [said].

Posted by **Hugh Intactive** at **1:38 PM**

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Georg ShtelnJune 1, 2013 at 1:17 PM

Cooper and Kantor are making serious claims of Jew-hatred and anti-Semitism despite lack of evidence. Shame on them. But they're on the defensive. Must be some truth to the message, eh? Where there's smoke....

Reply

http://circumstitionsnews.blogspot.com.au/2013/05/oslo-outrage-over-anti-cutting-cartoon.html

"...you gonna have a becoming A MAN... operation?

Elders say ceremony a critical cultural step for young men Anger in NT community after circumcision rite ends with three boys airlifted to hospital

By Norman Hermant and Alison McClymont,. ABC RN News Updated 22 January 2014, 17:52 AEST

There is continuing anger in a remote NT community after three teenage boys were injured in a botched circumcision ceremony.

There is still anger in a remote Northern Territory community after three teenage boys had to be

medically evacuated following an Indigenous initiation ceremony which went horribly wrong.

The boys were part of a group of around 20 who were circumcised two days before Christmas near the small

Gulf of Carpentaria town of Borroloola, 700 kilometres east of Darwin.

They were so badly cut during the procedure that they had to be medically evacuated to Darwin for urgent treatment.

Local ambulance driver William Miller arrived at the ceremony to find his 17-year-old grandson Bryce severely injured. "I took one look at him and he was sitting in a pool of blood... and that really hurt me, that did," he said. "I wasn't happy at all, with the whole people who done the job."

Bryce Miller, who had to be airlifted to hospital, had pushed his grandfather to allow him to participate in the ceremony.

"When I got cut, and I seen the blood squirting through on the wrong side, it was bad. Squirting out bad... heaps. And losing a lot of blood," he said.

The ABC understands instruments from the local health clinic were used in the ceremony and have regularly been supplied in the past, in line with Health Department guidelines.

Nurses and doctors from the clinic have also attended previous ceremonies, but were not present at last December's ritual.

Some of the clinic's health professionals have told the ABC they were appalled by the injuries they saw. But none are willing to speak publicly for fear of dismissal.

Investigators say injuries do not constitute child abuse The Northern Territory Government says it is aware of the case, and so far its investigators have found the injuries do not constitute child abuse.

The NT Child Abuse Taskforce received two notifications about the incident, leading to an investigation by two police officers and the Department of Children and Families.

But their enquiries found that the children had not been harmed as defined by the *Care and Protection of Children Act*.

The Department said it will continue to conduct enquiries into the wellbeing of the young men.

NT Attorney-General John Elferink said any suggestion of child abuse is taken very seriously.

"A more fulsome investigation was done in this instance because of the sensitivities involved," he said. "So long as those practices don't amount to child abuse there is no role for the state. It's called a free country. No abuse was found to have occurred and in the absence of that and in the absence of criminality... it's a parental decision on how to bring up the kids."

Mr Elferink says he has lived and worked in remote communities and understands how traditional practices occur. But he believes there should always be checks for child abuse.

"There are number of cultures that operate in the NT and even more Australia-wide - Islamic cultures, Christian cultures, Aboriginal cultures, other religions and other cultural practices," he said. "So long as those

practices don't amount to child abuse there is no role for the state. So long as those practices don't amount to criminality there is no role of the state. It's called a free country."

Elders say ceremony a critical cultural step for young men. The circumcision ceremony dates back thousands of years and is common practice in traditional and remote communities across northern Australia. Elders say the ceremony is a critical cultural step where boys become men.

The elders who supervised the circumcision said the injuries were likely caused by a visiting family member who is still learning the ritual.

"I think some place he make mistake, some place he don't, you know?" said traditional Garrawa elder Keith Rorv.

Mr Rory said he had been conducting the ritual for 20 years. "This ceremony is really strong. It goes back, way back to the old days when it first started," he said. "People used different sort of stuff with young men... these days we get it from the clinic but in those days they used stone and stuff they made it themselves.

"It is traditional stuff and it's sacred stuff."

Borroloola's former doctor, Dr Peter Fitzpatrick, says it is not the first time young men have needed medical care after initiation.

"They're doing lots of young men and it's a remote area and I've seen and evacuated young men myself," he said.

Dr Fitzpatrick, whose own sons have been initiated, says with any surgical procedure there are sometimes complications.

"These events occur in remote areas... they're not actually occurring within cooee of an A&E department, and people live in remote areas, that increases the risk," he said.

"The ceremony is very very important to Indigenous communities.

"As long as there's some procedures and understanding and harm minimisation is there then its maybe at an acceptable level to the community."

Injured teenager has 'no regrets' over ritual

Bryce Miller has recovered from his injuries and said he has no regrets participating in this initiation into manhood.

His grandfather William, on the other hand, says no other family members will ever take part again.

Others in the community, including Garrawa man, Gadrian Hoosen, say the ceremony will continue.

"[There's] no point talking about our ceremony because that's not going to stop us from carrying that culture," he said. "We're going to carry it on."

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Israel's chief rabbinate says oral suction at circumcision is preferred

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A Jewish circumcision ceremony

Israel's chief rabbinate has weighed in on the practice of a controversial circumcision rite in Germany, saying that metzitzah b'peh is preferred.

The practice, in which blood is sucked orally from the circumcision wound, is under scrutiny in Germany, due to a complaint filed against a Berlin rabbi for allegedly committing bodily harm during a brit milah.

Rabbi Moshe Morsiano, chair of the Division of Circumcision for the Chief Rabbinate of Israel, emphasized in a letter dated April 22 that there is no justification for avoiding metzitzah b'peh "unless the mohel has a sore in his mouth, or some infectious disease."

The letter was addressed to Rabbi Yehudah Teichtal, who heads Chabad Lubavitch in Berlin and is one of several official rabbis in the city. Teichtal requested the response after an anti-circumcision activist filed charges against him, claiming oral suction was performed at the brit milah of Teichtal's son. Berlin's state prosecutor is looking into the merits of the case. Germany's new law regulating ritual circumcision, passed in December, requires that the procedure be done to the highest possible medical standards. Metzitzah b'peh has come under fire by many Jewish groups, including modern Orthodox associations, due to the possible spread of infections that can be fatal to an infant. Opponents recommend the use of a pipette.

In New York, at least 11 boys contracted herpes from the practice between 2004 and 2011, according to New York City health officials. Two died from the disease and two others suffered brain damage. Last September, the board of health voted 9-0 to require mohels to obtain signed consent forms from parents.

In his letter responding to Teichtal's query, Morsiano concluded that "this committee requires that the mohel obtain the family's permission before performing this act in the traditional manner."

The Israeli chief rabbinate was the latest of several international Orthodox rabbinical organizations to weigh in on the matter. Its support of the tradition reflects that of the Brussels-based Rabbinical Council of Europe.

On the other hand, the London-based Conference of European Rabbis issued a statement saying that the use of pipettes is approved under Jewish law and preferable, for health reasons. The Central Council of Jews in Germany followed suit.

Meanwhile, Teichtal has not commented on whether the tradition was followed at his son's brit milah.

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Economist removes anti-Semitic cartoon after criticism

Readers take editors to task for publishing an image depicting Barack Obama shackled by a Jewish- or Israeli-controlled Congress

By Times of Israel staff January 21, 2014, 2:55 am



A cartoon published in The Economist portrays

US President Barack Obama shackled to a Jewish-controlled Congress.

The Economist removed on Monday a controversial cartoon it had published two days earlier, which observers blasted as anti-Semitic.

The cartoon — which depicts US President Barack Obama, shackled by a seal of Congress overlaid with Stars of David, trying to shake the hand of Iranian President Hassan Rouhani, who is being held back by American flag-burning extremists — had accompanied an article that described the deep rifts between the US and Iran in negotiations over the Islamic Republic's nuclear program.

As of early Tuesday, the cartoon had been <u>replaced in the article page</u> with a photo, but it <u>remained visible on the Middle East and Africa section</u> of The Economist website.

An editor's note at the bottom of the article referred to the illustration, by Peter Schrank: "The print edition of this story had a cartoon which inadvertently caused offense to some readers, so we have replaced it with a photograph."

Readers were quick to criticize The Economist for the cartoon's publication, blasting editors for not recognizing it as an anti-Semitic or anti-Israeli display.

The implication, critics said, was that Jews control the US Congress, or that the legislative body functions under the direction of Israel. With the Stars of David superimposed over the Congressional seal being blue, the connection to Israel did not go unnoticed.

Honest Reporting, an NGO that monitors anti-Israel content in the media, issued a statement criticizing The Economist's editorial staff for not picking up on the fact that the cartoon promoted anti-Semitism. "Jewish control over governments, the media and the international financial system is a classic feature of anti-Semitism and the cartoon is, wittingly or unwittingly, promoting this trope," the statement read.

"This falls firmly under the working definitions of anti-Semitism from both the US State Department and the EU, which specifically include: 'Making mendacious, dehumanizing, demonizing, or stereotypical allegations about Jews as such or the power of Jews as collective such as, especially but not exclusively, the myth about a world Jewish conspiracy or of Jews controlling the media, economy, government or other societal institutions." ADL National Director Abe Foxman said in a statement, "The Economist cannot repair the damage of publishing an anti-Semitic image with only half-measures. They owe their readers a full-throated apology, which not only acknowledges the offensive nature of the cartoon but explains to readers why this image implying Jewish control was so outrageous and hurtful."

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Israel implanting thousands of 'fake' Jewish graves around Aqsa Mosque: Palestinian group

By AL ARABIYA, Tuesday, 22 May 2012



Al-Aqsa Foundation for Endowment and Heritage (AFEH) said Israel has planted 3,000 "fake" Jewish graves so far around the al-Aqsa Mosque. Photos Courtesy of AFEH.

Israel is implanting "thousands of fake" Jewish graves in the land surrounding al-Aqsa Mosque "at the pretext of carrying out repair and maintenance works and new excavations" in a bid to lay hand on Palestinian and Islamic endowment lands, Al-Aqsa Foundation for Endowment and Heritage said in a report on Monday.

"The Israeli occupation of Jerusalem is committing a very ugly crime on Palestinian lands, on Muslim endowment lands, and that is the implanting of thousands of fake Jewish graves in this site," Abdel Majeed Mohammad, of the Aqsa Foundation was quoted in report as saying.



"What we learned from the people of Silwan is that there is limited number of Jewish graves (around Aqsa Mosque). The Israeli occupation is trying to impose a fait accomplice to control Palestinian endowment lands through implanting 3,000 graves. This is the greatest paradox; on the one hand Israel

bulldozes Muslim graves in Jerusalem, on the other hands it implants thousands of fake Jewish graves," Mohammad said. He added that thousands of Jewish tombstones were planted around the mosque to indicate graves, but underneath, there are no bodies, nor skeletons.

In January 2012, the Palestinian Information Center (PIC) reported that Israel "implanted 50 unreal graves in the northern part of Silvan district so as to control and seize about

20 dunums of Palestinian land there."



"This Israeli move is aimed at separating the area from the walls of the Aqsa Mosque, where the IOA [Israeli Occupation Authority] also intends to establish a chain of Talmudic gardens and a large Jewish museum in the area connected with the Jewish cemetery in Ras al-Amud and Attour

neighborhoods and the settlements, Maale Hazeetim and Maale David," PIC reported.

In 2010 Israel said it had destroyed about 300 Muslim gravestones in a Jerusalem cemetery because they were "fake" and set up in a bid to snatch government land, according to AFP. But the Islamic Movement completely denied the graves were fake, saying all of them contained bodies.



The demolition of the graves took place near the site of a planned Museum of Tolerance to be built by the Simon Wiesenthal Center, a U.S.-based Jewish human rights group. http://www.alarabiya.net/articles/2012/05/22/215604.html

Ariel Sharon is Dead: His Crimes will Not be Buried with Him

James Petras, 23 January 2014

Introduction

Ariel Sharon was a serial mass murderer, engaged in massacres of unarmed victims in four countries, of all ages and conditions. He was a "hero" for hundreds of thousands of Israeli Jews who settled on land and in houses seized from Palestinians in the West Bank. He was praised by Western leaders at his funeral for his violent, lifelong opposition to Arab nationalist movements throughout the Middle East. That he was a fanatical upholder of Jewish supremacist policies and practices did not go unnoticed by wealthy Zionist donors in the US. During his tenure as a senior official in numerous Israeli regimes, they contributed hundreds of millions of dollars for Greater Israel and extracted nearly a \$100 billion more from the US Treasury. Israeli leaders praise of Sharon as a valiant, brilliant and legendary military leader is echoed in the US mass media and repeated by most Western leaders. He was, in the view of his US adulators, a powerful leader who defied world public opinion in his defense of Israel, who seized Palestinian and Syrian territory and who was willing to strike an independent policy even against Israel's main benefactors in Europe and North America.

This essay does not simply recount Sharon's lifelong criminal record. The story we will relate has more to do with (1)the crimes that continue to live after him; (2) the political and military context which allowed him to butcher non-Jewish populations with impunity; (3)the psychological core of Sharonist impudence and arrogance which is so deeply etched in the political psyche of all of Israel's contemporary leaders.

This paper will critically address several issues regarding the Sharon cult (in Israel and abroad) which presents him as a fearless and successful military leader; a formidable world political statesman, who successfully imposed Israel's will throughout the Middle East and beyond.

Genocide at the Service of Nationhood

Sharon's record as a serial genocider is beyond dispute. As early as the 'founding years' of Israel in 1947 - 1948 Sharon

was commander of the murderous Alexandroni and then the Golani Brigade which murdered, uprooted and terrorized thousands oflifelong Palestinian residents. He later was the commander of Unit 101, an Orwellian Death Squad, which reduced villages to rubble, blowing up homes, where mostly women and children were hiding. In October 1953, Sharon assaulted the Jordanian village of Qibya blowing up forty-five houses and killing sixty-nine civilians, the vast majority women and children. In the early 1950's Sharon ruled over Palestinian settlements with an iron fist, murdering dissidents, arresting and torturing protestors on a mass scale. On October 29, 1956 Israeli, British and French troops invaded Egypt to seize the Suez Canal and recolonize the country. Colonel Sharon led the 202th Paratroop Brigade which seized the Mitla Pass and covered himself with gore - murdering all the Egyptian military and civilian prisoners. The Israeli military advance was stopped cold despite its military alliance and supply from Britain and France. President Eisenhower told the Israelis and their French and English allies to end their aggression and proceeded to cut off all military and economic aid to Israel; shut off IMF funding for England and France's post WW II bankrupt economies. US Zionists using their leverage in the Democratic party especially over Lyndon Johnson, House Minority Leader, to block Eisenhower's economic sanctions and to support Israel's invasion. Eisenhower rejected Zionist pressure and went to the UN Security Council where his armistice and withdrawal proposal was vetoed by France and Britain. Eisenhower then called a special session of the General Assembly where he triumphed by a 12 to 1 margin. France, Britain and Israel were defeated and forced to retreat. No other President before or since Eisenhower ever took a forthright stand against Israeli colonial wars and territorial seizures.

During the Egyptian invasion, Sharon's military leadership was severely questioned by his Israeli superiors. His troops

suffered the highest casualties of any unit because of his order to attack heavily fortified Egyptian emplacements when Israeli air power could have done more with less.

During the so-called Six Day War (June 5 -10, 1967), Israel's sneak attack on Jordan, Syria and Egypt, resulted in the seizure and occupation of vast areas and the conquest of millions of Palestinians. Sharon's military achievements included the wholesale massacre of Egyptian prisoners of war.. President Lyndon Johnson, totally under the thumb of his Zionist fundraisers, not only supported Israel's war of aggression but acquiesced in Israel's bombing of the US intelligence ship the Liberty and the killing and maiming of over 200 US sailors. In the 1973 Yom Kipper War, Sharon and the Israeli high command were on the verge of military defeat by the Egyptian and Syrian armed forced intent on liberating occupied territories, until Kissinger airlifted 22,395 tons of weapons to Israel, including scores of fighter planes, helicopters and transport planes to turn the tide.

From the Yon Kipper debacle onward, Israel never lacked for US military and political backing and diplomatic protection in its military invasions, colonial settlements and air assaults on Arab countries and inhabitants.

Upward Advance: Master of Massacres and Mediocrity

Sharon's political career was aided by his leading role in massacring Palestinians in Lebanon and in the Occupied Territories. In Lebanon, Sharon slaughtered 2000 children and women at the Sabra and Shatila refugee camp. He certainly did not rise to political power for his mediocre performance during the Suez crises and Yon Kippur war. In fact, when Sharon faced well-trained and well-armed military forces, as was the case during the Hezbollah war in 2006, he was even less than a *mediocre* commander. Only against civilians and poorly trained irregulars did he "succeed". Only where he could murder and dispossess hundreds of thousands of unarmed civilians and settle Israeli Jews was he glorified as the "King of the Jews" by the Israeli settler population.

World leaders praise Sharon because of his power and usefulness in smashing nationalist Arab-dissent. Sharon's ascent to the Pantheon of world statesman was greased by the western mass media, who to no small extent, sup at the table of his main Zionist benefactors. Sharon's "legendary history" is media manufactured to fit the requirements of his western Zionist power brokers.

The Context of Sharon's and Israeli Ascendancy

Israel cannot and does not wield power on the bases of its military capability or performance – it operates on borrowed power. When the US was ruled by a President who rejected Zionist influenced Congressional pressure and used available economic and political leverage, Israel retreated, surrendered captured territory and abided by UN sanctions. In other words, Israel's war aims and its bellicose behavior, is dependent on the power of the Zionist power configuration in the US to turn Washington in its favor.

The Israeli leaders and most, especially Sharon, *learned* the lesson of the Eisenhower experience. The key to regional power lies in the capacity of American Zionists to control Washington's decision-makers. In the blunt language of Sharon, in reply to Shimon Peres on Koi Yisrael radio (October 3, 2001) "Every time we do something, you (Peres) tell me, Americans will do this and that. I want to tell you something very clear. Don't worry about American pressure on Israel. We the Jewish people control America and the Americans know it".

In this, his comment on the relations of power between Israel and the United States, Sharon is also providing an insight into his own importance and influence. Sharon the "legendary military leader" is a complete artifact of the real power that the Zionists wield in the US on behalf of Israel.

Sharon is, in a sense, a "cardboard general" who has lost or nearly lost the most important battles in his career – beginning with Suez in 1956, Yom Kippur in 1973 and Lebanon in 2006. Israel has prospered economically and become a major military power largely through over \$130 billion dollar transfers from the US Treasury over the past half century; plus tens of billions in favorable trade concessions; plus 'imports' of highly trained professionals from the US and Russia (educated by the tax payers of those countries); and more recently billions more in "venture capital" by overseas speculators. In other words, Israel is an artifact of the 'power of extraction and transfer' by its overseas acolytes embedded in the US political and economic power structure.

Without the influence and material privileges which have accumulated over four decades, Sharon would have ended his mediocre military career as a crabby second rate politician, barking "blood libels" at his adversaries in the Knesset.

But as circumstances dictated Sharon was not an insignificant figure. His brutal colonial policies reflected the Israel-Jewish political tradition and shaped what has become a dangerous ethno-supremacist ideology, which unfortunately has traversed across borders and entered into the consciousness of many Zionists.

It was one thing to joke, as many of us did in our university days, about the ghetto expression "Is it good for Jews?. It is another for leaders in positions of power to apply this ethnocentric criteria to American foreign policy, personnel recruitment and professional appointments. That is the real legacy of Ariel Sharon: the legacy of an Israel -centered world built on ideology of ethno-religious supremacy which displays superiority and disdain for non-Jews. For the ethnic supremacists like Sharon, most Americans exist to pay tribute and fight wars for Israel and to keep a tight lip about it.

A Final Word on the Sharon Legacy

Let it be said, here and now, that Sharon's presumption to speak for "the Jewish people" confused his rabid electoral supporters in Israel and blind adherents among US Zionist leaders, with a growing number of Jews and ex-Jews who detested him and scorn his legacy. His boast that "Jews control America" has dangerous implications, especially in the context of growing popular malaise in these United States. Sharon's claim that Americans knowingly submit to a foreign tyranny, is very provocative especially if and when Americans begin to wake up--- and it will be the majority of Jews, who neither abide by Sharon's legacy nor share his naked contempt for non-Jews, who will pay a painful price.

The Sharon legacy lives on, among his epigones at the prestigious universities and with the billionaires who bankroll the Democratic Party. Sharon's Israel First legacy lives on with the government officials who betray the trust of the American people and prostrate themselves before his present-day disciples (Klansmen with yarmulkes), the Avigdor Lieberman's, Naftali Bennett's and Netanyahu's who execute the Sharon legacy of dispossession and assassination of unarmed Palestinian people. Ariel Sharon is dead but his crimes will not be buried. They live on in the policies of the Netanyahu regime but also in the collective memory of humanity in its struggle for freedom and self-determination.